A.—Sri VEERENDRA PATIL (Minister for Public Works).—
As detailed below:—

	Name of the Taluk	*No. of Villages electrified to end of December 1965.*
1	Ron	11
2	Hangal	8
3	Dharwar	2
4	Navalgund	2
5	Ranebennur	27
6	Shiggaon	13
7	Byadgi	4
8	Gadag	8
9	Hubli	3
10	Haveri	10
11	Hirekerur	5
12	Kalghatagi	3
13	Kundagol	3
14	Nargund	1
15	Shirahatti	2
16	Mundargi	2
	Total	104

Leave of Absence to Members

Mr. SPEAKER.—I have received a letter from Sri G. Narayana Gowda, Minister for Agriculture, requesting leave of absence from attending the House from 7th March 1966 till the close of the current sittings of the Assembly as he has proceeded abroad.

There is also a letter from Sri B. Y. Neele Gowda requesting leave of absence from attending the current sittings of the Assembly due to ill-health.

Is it the peasure of the House that permission be granted to Sri G. Narayana Gowda and Sri B. Y. Neele Gowda ?

HON'BLE MEMBERS.—Yes.

Mr. SPEAKER.—Permission is granted to Sri G. Narayana Gowda and Sri B. Y. Neele Gowda to remain absent.